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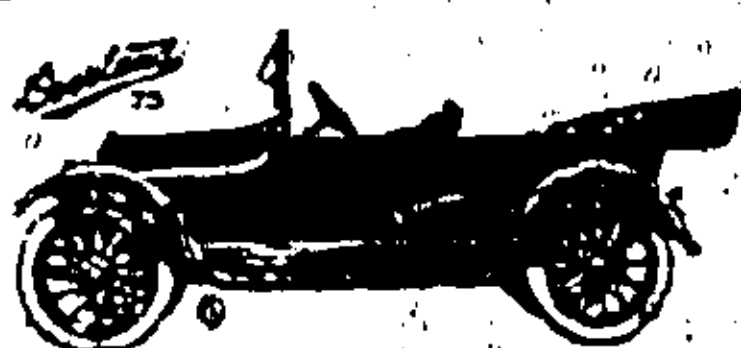
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## THE WAR.

### LATEST TELEGRAMS.

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#### THE AIR RAID.

FOUR—POSSIBLY SIX—GERMAN  
MACHINES DESTROYED.

BRUGES BOMBARDED AGAIN.

An Admiralty communiqué states:  
A Naval aeroplane from Dunkirk  
attacked on Monday a German  
machine fifteen miles out at sea and  
drove her down with a vertical nose-  
drive.

We successfully bombed shipping  
at Bruges on Monday night and  
observed a big explosion and many  
smaller ones. We again raided  
Bruges at daybreak and dropped  
many tons of bombs. All our  
machines returned safely.

Four Naval pilots patrolling from  
Dunkirk on Tuesday afternoon in-  
decisively engaged eighteen German  
aeroplanes well out to sea from Ostend  
and chased them to England. While  
they were returning, our Naval  
machines from the Kentish coast  
engaged them, driving down two.

Our Naval machines engaged the  
enemy over the Thames estuary.

Ten Naval pilots from Dunkirk  
later encountered sixteen returning  
from England. Numerous fights  
took place off Ostend. We com-  
pletely destroyed two and drove down  
four others out of control. Two of  
them are considered to have been  
destroyed.

London, June 6.

It is officially announced that the  
total casualties from yesterday's  
air raid are 12 killed and 39 injured.  
The damage done is not great.

THE GERMAN VERSION.

The Berlin official version of last  
night's air raid states:—We dropped  
five tons of bombs on military estab-  
lishments at Sheerness and good hits  
were observed.

MORE THAN HALF THE RAIDERS  
PUT OUT OF ACTION.

LATER.

The losses inflicted on yesterday's  
air raiders, announced in to-day's  
communiqué, do not include two  
enemy aeroplanes officially reported  
to have been brought down yester-  
day: hence altogether four raiders  
were completely destroyed and six  
driven down.

Thus more than half the raiding  
squadron, probably consisting of  
eighteen machines, were put out of  
action.

#### THE BOMBARDMENT OF OSTEND.

GREAT DAMAGE DONE

London, June 6.

The Admiralty communiqué states  
that a photographic reconnaissance  
over Ostend shows that yesterday's  
bombardment either seriously dam-  
aged or totally destroyed the majority  
of the workshops in the dockyard,  
and badly damaged the entrance  
gates to the dockyard basin, the  
wharf and submarine shelter, and  
also a destroyer under repair. Ap-  
parently several vessels were sunk  
by the bombardment.

GERMAN COMMUNIQUE.

London, June 6.

A German communiqué, referring  
to yesterday's attacks on Ostend,  
says that many Belgian civilians  
were killed and wounded. The com-  
muniqué admits that some material  
damage was done and also the loss  
of a torpedo boat.

#### THE SILVER MARKET.

London, June 6.

Silver is quoted at 88 1/2.  
There is no demand but the market  
is steady.

#### GERMAN ATTACK FAILS AT HURTEBISE.

ENEMY SUFFER HEAVY LOSSES.

London, June 6.

A French communiqué states:—  
"A most intense artillery duel is  
proceeding at Chemins-des-Dames  
and to the west of it."

The Germans last night launched  
two waves of attack against our pos-  
itions near Hurtebise. The assau-  
lants were thrown back to their own  
trenches after furious fighting in  
which the enemy suffered heavy  
losses. Our line was completely  
maintained.

There were lively actions on the  
Belgian front at midnight.

Seven German aeroplanes and a  
captive balloon were brought down.

FURTHER BRITISH PROGRESS ON  
THE SCARPE.

London, June 6.

Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig  
reports:—

We attacked, last night, to the  
north of the Scarpe river and further  
progressed on the western slopes of  
Greenland Hill.

We also gained ground slightly, to  
the westward of Lens.

We carried out successful night  
raids to the north of Armentières and  
entered the enemy trenches at a  
number of points and inflicted many  
casualties.

GERMAN SPECULATIONS.

London, June 6.

The German view is that as twelve  
successive German communiques  
have emphasised the violent arti-  
llery activity in the Wyszchaete bend,  
the latter is the region between  
Messines and Hollebeke, south of  
Ypres. British raids in the same  
sector are assumed in a German com-  
muniqué to be for the purpose of  
ascertaining the effect of artillery  
fire.

CONSTANT BOMBARDMENT AT  
YPRES.

AMSTERDAM, June 6.

Reports from the Belgian frontier  
continue to speak of constant heavy  
cannonading at Ypres and also on the  
Belgian coast.

Eight hundred wounded from  
Flanders arrived in a single night last  
week.

#### MILITARY SERVICE IN AMERICA.

OVER 10,000,000 MEN REGISTERED.

WASHINGTON, June 6.

The Registration Days throughout  
the United States have been orderly.  
The Attorney-General, in a state-  
ment at six o'clock in the evening,  
said the reports received by the  
Department indicated that there had  
been a ready and general response,  
to the conscriptions and only three  
arrests, none of which was the out-  
growth of a serious situation. No  
resistance had come to the attention  
of the Department.

LATER.

Over 10,000,000 young Americans  
registered on June 5 for war service.  
All the Governors of the various  
States are unanimous in reporting  
complete quiet during the registra-  
tion.

OBITUARY.

London, June 6.

The death is announced of Baron  
St. Audries (formerly known as the  
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## SCOTTISH LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

April 18.

WHO'S WHO IN THE CASUALTIES.

Captain Thomas A. Nelson (killed), Lothian and Border Horse, recently transferred to special service, was a member of the firm of Thomas Nelson & Sons, Publishers, Edinburgh. Educated at Edinburgh Academy and Oxford, he was Captain of the Oxford Rugby fifteen, and played for Scotland in the International against England in 1898. He is the 21st Rugby Internationalist to fall in the present war.

Lieut. Stanley J. Murdoch, Highland Light Infantry (wounded), is the son of Mr. Thomas Murdoch, jeweller, Dundee. He had only been a few days at the front after recovering from a recent severe wound. He came home from the Straits Settlements before the war, and when hostilities broke out received a commission in the H.L.I.

Lieut. Arthur D. Flett, Royal Scots (killed), was a son of the late Mr. David Flett, Buckingham Terrace, Edinburgh. He was a chartered accountant by profession, and was Secretary of the Scottish Rugby Union. One of his brothers, Lieut. J. F. Flett, Royal Scots, was killed in Gallipoli; another brother, Lieut. W. H. Flett, Black Watch, died of wounds received in action; and a fourth brother is Dr. A. B. Flett, a former President of the Scottish Rugby Union.

2nd Lieut. Patrick G. Jenkins, Camerons (killed), was the fourth son of Mr. James G. Jenkins, of Airedale, Cambridgeshire. After serving his apprenticeship as an engineer, he went to India, and for two years was in the employment of the Calcutta firm of Messrs. Balmer, Lawrie & Co. He was one of a family of first-class golfers, and was runner-up in the Irish Amateur Championship of 1912. Three other sons of Mr. Jenkins are in the Army; one of them, 2nd Lieut. J. L. C. Jenkins, Camerons, won the Amateur Golf Championship at Sandwich in 1914, and a daughter

won the Scottish Ladies' Golf Championship in 1912.

Lieut. James Armstrong (killed), attached to the Inland Water Transport during operations in the Persian Gulf, was the son of Mr. Robert Armstrong, Linglie Road, Selkirk. Before joining the Royal Indian Marine, he held a post on the Irrawaddy Flotilla Co., Rangoon.

Captain A. G. Spark, Yorkshire Light Infantry (killed), was a son of the Rev. Alexander Spark, late parish minister of Rousay and Egilshay, Orkney, and was formerly in business in the East with the Straits Trading Company. Afterwards he was in Edmonton, Canada, and later in business in London.

Lieut. J. H. B. Wedderburn, R.F.C. (reported missing), is the youngest son of Mr. W. G. Wedderburn, Indian Educational Service, formerly of 32 Cluny Gardens, Edinburgh. He was born at Rangoon, educated at Watson's and Edinburgh University; was present as an observer at the capture of Jeddah and at Aden, and did much reconnaissance work on the coast of Asia Minor and Palestine; returned to this country, qualified as pilot, and then went to France.

As the result of an operation, Alexander MacDonald, D.C.M., late piper in the Black Watch. At Loos, in September 1915, after being shot in the leg, he continued playing the pipes. His left leg was amputated above the knee.

James Moss, Beechwood Drive, Jordaphill, Glasgow, late of Messrs. Steel Bros. & Co., Rangoon; 70, John G. A. Baird of Colston, Haddington, and Wellwood and Rosemount, Ayrshire; 63. He was the third son of Mr. William Baird, one of the Bairds of Garthcarrick; he served in the 6th Dragoon Guards, 10th Lancers, and Ayrshire Yeomanry; and for 20 years represented Central Glasgow in the Unionist interest.

General William Gordon, C.I.E., who has died in his 94th year, was the last survivor of the fifteen children of Adam Gordon of Cairnfield, Banff, and he was the grand-uncle of the present John Stuart Gordon of Cairnfield.

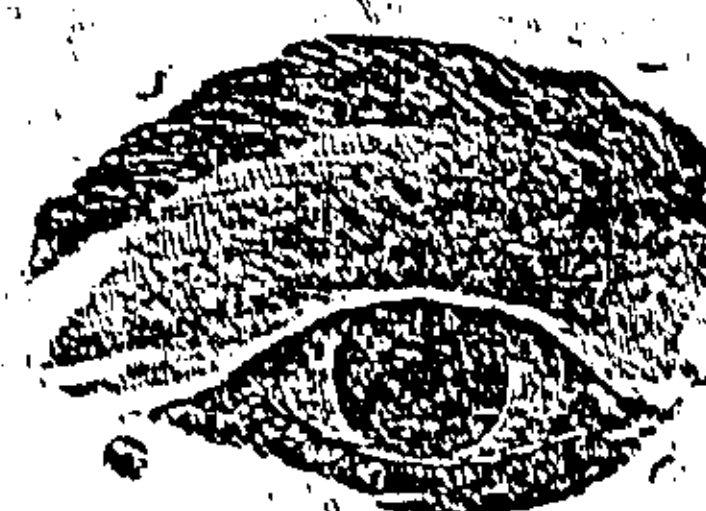
Colonel John Baird Harvey of Torruken, Glendevon, Perthshire, and of Carbridge, Clackmannanshire, formerly of the 7th V.B. Argyll and Sutherlands.

Major-General John Stewart Nicholson, C.B., St. Andrew's, a distinguished artillery officer; 81. His elder son, Stewart Nicholson, Camerons, died while a prisoner in Germany, and his other son, Captain Beaumont Nicholson, was in command of the Hogue, when she went down in the North Sea.

Sir Robert S. Aikman, late B.C.S., and formerly Judge of the Allahabad High Court, an LL.D. of St. Andrew's University; was the son of the late Bailie Aikman, St. Andrews, and a brother of the present Provost.

W. M. Green, Glasgow, who held the professional billiard championship of Scotland for 25 years.

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## TELEGRAMS.

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## THE RUSSIAN SITUATION.

## A SOCIALIST PROTEST AGAINST AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE.

Petrograd, June 6.  
Mr. Henderson, M. Thomas and M. Van der Velden have written to the Council of Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates protesting against the Council convening an International Conference before the negotiations between the British, French and Russian Delegates on the subject had been concluded. They emphasize that a Conference which includes supporters of the present policy of the Central Empires would be harmful and dangerous. Common action is possible only when the German socialists have proclaimed a rupture with aggressive imperialism, and national union against such imperialism as a duty incumbent on all classes. They further submit that Socialists could not hold aloof from this without abdicating and compromising the vital interests of Democracy and Socialism.

## READY TO MARCH ANYWHERE.

Petrograd, June 6.  
M. Kerensky, Minister of War and Marine, addressing the Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates, reminded them that the Russian soldiers had now won liberties that any soldiers in the world, but Russian Democracy and Democracy required the support of an organized force. That was the present problem. "It is imperative," he said, "that the Army should be prepared to fight at any moment offensively and defensively." At the conclusion of the Minister's speech various military units assured him that they were ready to march anywhere.

## RUSSIAN SOCIALIST MINISTERS AT KRONSTADT.

Petrograd, June 6.  
The Socialist Ministers and Delegates of the Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates spent a day at Kronstadt investigating the secession. As a result of conferences at Kronstadt the Soldiers' and Workmen's Council decided to send representatives to Petrograd to solve the misunderstanding.

## MRS. PANKHURST GOES TO RUSSIA.

London, June 6.  
The Premier has granted to Mrs. Pankhurst (the well-known Suffragette leader) facilities to go to Petrograd.

## GENERAL ALEXIEFF'S NEW POST.

London, June 6.  
Reuter announces that General Alexieff has been appointed Military Adviser to the Russian Government.

## GERMANY AND GENERAL BRUSILOV'S APPOINTMENT.

London, June 6.  
German newspapers interpret General Brusilov's appointment as proving that the Russian Government seriously intends to start an offensive.

## THE ITALIAN OPERATIONS.

An Italian official communique states: Southward of Jamiano fighting has been less intense.

We slightly withdrew from our new line fronting Florido to a more tactically advantageous position.

We took 256 prisoners yesterday. Our aircraft dropped two tons of high explosives on the station of San Pietro on the Trieste-Ljubiana railway.

## A STRIKE AGAINST PACIFISTS.

London, June 6.  
Mr. Havelock Wilson, President of the National Sailors' and Firemen's Union, interviewed, said he was receiving resolutions from branches of the Union in all parts of the country supporting the resolution tabled on the 4th inst. The Union had tabled this resolution (The Sailors' and Workmen's Council). The Union was receiving hundreds of letters from all sorts of people, including members of the House of Commons, clergymen, and barristers, regarding the Union's policy.

## GERMANY AND BRAZIL.

## RESERVES RIGHT TO DEMAND INDEMNITY.

Rio de Janeiro, June 6.  
The Dutch Minister, on behalf of Germany, has presented a Note, reserving the right to demand an indemnity for the seizure of German steamers.

## BRITISH SHIPPING RETURNS.

London, June 6.  
The Admiralty announces the following statistics:  
Arrivals.....2,933  
Sailings.....2,642  
Over 1,600 tons sunk.....15  
Under.....3  
Seventeen were unsuccessfully attacked. Five fishing vessels were sunk.

## ITALY'S SHIPPING RETURNS.

Rome, June 6.  
The following shipping returns for the week are issued:  
Arrivals.....492  
Departures.....446  
These exclude fishing boats and small coasting ships.  
One steamer under 2,500 tons was sunk, six sailing ships under 200 tons and two fishing boats.

## MESSAGE FROM A SUNK SUBMARINE.

CHRISTIANIA, June 6.  
A bottle has been picked up on the Norwegian coast containing a paper signed by the entire crew of a German submarine stating that the submarine was sunk by a British cruiser on March 15 between Iceland and Norway.

## STREET RIOTS AT STOCKHOLM.

Stockholm, June 6.  
The Premier (M. Swartz) in the Riksdag admitted the need of suffrage and industrial reforms. The Government, he said, was preoccupied by war problems.

Socialist and Liberal leaders recalled the universal democratic movement and regretted that a golden opportunity had been lost.

During the debate the adjoining streets were barricaded. A large crowd assembled in Gustaf Adolf Square and a strong force of soldiers and mounted police were present. Collisions ensued and stones were thrown. The police charged, injuring several.

## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

## THE AIR RAID.

## MEDWAY NAVAL ESTABLISHMENT ATTACKED.

## INSIGNIFICANT DAMAGE.

London, June 6.  
It is officially announced that sixteen aeroplanes participated in to-night's raid. They crossed the coast of Essex at 6.15 p.m. and dropped bombs in the country districts and on small towns in Essex. They then proceeded to attack the naval establishment on the Medway. A considerable number of bombs were dropped and a certain amount of damage was done to house property. The damage to the naval and military establishments was negligible.

Gunfire engaged and aircraft pursued the raiders who, after losing two machines, made off to the sea. The casualties numbered two killed and twenty nine wounded.

## FURTHER DETAILS.

## GERMAN PILOT AND OBSERVER CAPTURED.

Correspondents from a town in Essex describe the air raid as most exciting. Ample warning was given of the approach for British airmen to ascend before the raiders reached the coast. The weather favoured the enemy who were flying as high as possible and sought cover of the clouds. They were quickly spotted and engaged. Thus they only penetrated a few miles inland and departed as speedily as possible after dropping their bombs. Their formation was quickly broken up by our guns and airmen.

The town in question was crowded with women and children while hundreds of wounded were being entertained by trips in sailing craft.

The first intimation to the people was the heavy canonading of the shore batteries which was at first regarded as practice, but the raiders suddenly appeared amid the bursting of shells. One turned a somersault and dropped into the sea. Instantly motor launches traced to the spot but found no trace of the aviators.

LATER.  
The pilot and an observer of a German raiding aeroplane which had fallen into the sea have been captured.

## UNIQUE REASON FOR A STRIKE.

London, June 6.  
At an adjourned conference of the delegates of the Sailors' and Firemen's Union, held at Westminster, it was arranged to strike and to water and prevent mailboats sailing to Stockholm. It is understood that the co-operation of the Merchant Service Guild and the Mercantile Marine Association will be invited.

## THE BOMBARDMENT OF THE BELGIAN COAST.

## ZEEBRUGGE STRONGER THAN THE DARDANELLES.

London, June 6.  
There is general satisfaction at the more vigorous naval policy as evidenced by the Belgian bombardments as, though the German occupation of Zeebrugge failed to interrupt the Channel communications, the enemy made himself an objectionable that strong measures had become indispensable. The task was arduous and trying as Zeebrugge is now believed to be even stronger than the Dardanelles.

A telegram from Amsterdam says that a correspondent on the frontier describes the latest British bombardment of Zeebrugge as the most formidable of the war. It lasted a hundred minutes, a large fleet of cruisers participating. The German batteries replied vigorously, but ineffectively owing to the morning fog hitting the ships. The harbour was much damaged.

## THE UTILISATION OF AERONAUTICS.

## COORDINATION WITH NAVY.

London, June 5.  
Experts emphasize that co-ordination of aerial attacks on the Belgian coast with naval activity is evidence of the utilization of the great development in aeronautics in operations for which troops would have been used before the war. It was obviously for this reason that the enemy destroyers were forced to leave shelter promptly, and were engaged by Commander Tyrwhitt.

## BRITISH AEROPLANES WORK DAY AND NIGHT.

London, June 5.  
Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports: "We slightly progressed to the south of the Scheldt River and hold the electric power station, for which there was fierce fighting on Sunday. Today we captured 75 prisoners in a successful raid to the south of Ypres. There is great aerial activity, and bombing day and night with good results. We brought down twelve German aeroplanes and drove down six others out of control. Five of ours are missing."

## M.M. STEAMER "YARRA" TORPEDOED.

## 44 PEOPLE MISSING.

PARIS, June 5.  
The Messageries Maritimes steamer Yarra was torpedoed on May 29 in the eastern Mediterranean. There were 690 people aboard of whom 36 Malagasy passengers and eight Arab stokers are missing.

## GERMANY'S BRUTAL USE OF TORPEDOES.

London, June 6.  
Reports received from the North-East coast include two torpedoings. In one case two German torpedo boats, after receiving the name of a British ship, darted one on each side of the vessel and shelled her without warning, not offering her to the crew. The ship sank. Eleven of the crew were killed by shell-fire and ten escaped in boats. In another case, the crew of a ship were torpedoed without warning and as they were rowing to a rescue-ship the enemy torpedo boat fired a torpedo which went clean through the small boat, containing the Captain and the crew. The boat sank and the Captain and his crew were drowned. The ship which attempted the rescue was also sunk.

## KRONSTADT A "TRAITOR TO THE REVOLUTION."

Petrograd, June 5.  
The threatened demonstration of sailors from Kronstadt has not materialized. M. Lamanoff, the leader, aims at subdividing Russia into innumerable petty units governed by local councils of the Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates united locally by a Congress of Workers and Soldiers' Delegates sitting in Petrograd. M. Lamanoff boasts that Kronstadt is stronger than ever. Many of the high commands, he says, are ably filled by ex-prisoners and the Germans come they will have a warm reception.

The Minister of Justice, interviewed, said that the Provisional Government would not tolerate independent districts. It was able to coerce the rebels at Kronstadt but preferred to declare Kronstadt traitor to the revolution. He is confident that the repatriation of Russia will bring the extremists to reason.

## AUSTRIAN WARSHIP SUNK.

London, June 6.  
An Austrian official message states: "On the night of June 3-4 an enemy submarine torpedoed and sank one of our torpedo boats in the northern Adriatic. The majority of the crew was rescued."

## NEW FRENCH AMBASSADOR TO RUSSIA.

PARIS, June 5.  
The ex-Minister M. Noulens has been appointed Ambassador to Russia.

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## REV. KIRK MACONACHIE.

## UNANIMOUSLY REQUESTED TO REMAIN.

A meeting of the seatholders of Union Church was held last evening for the purpose of discussing the question of the renewal of the agreement with the Rev. Kirk Maconachie for a further term of years.

There were about 50 of the seatholders and subscribers present, many of them being ladies.

Mr. J. Walker, Chairman of the Committee of Management, presided.

The meeting was opened by singing a hymn, followed by a short prayer offered by the Chairman.

Mr. Walker then said: "Seatholders of the Union Church, you are aware that our esteemed Minister, the Rev. J. Kirk Maconachie, has recently entered the last year of his present agreement with the Union Church."

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That this Meeting of the Seatholders of Union Church desire to extend to the Rev. J. Kirk Maconachie their hearty invitation to continue as their Minister for a further term of years, after the expiration of his present Agreement; and, that they authorize the Committee of Management to present the invitation, making all the necessary arrangements connected therewith.

That the Seatholders also wish to express their great admiration for Mr. Maconachie, and beg to offer to him their heartfelt thanks for, and deep appreciation of, his past services, trusting that Mr. and Mrs. Maconachie may see their way to remain in Hongkong for many years to come."

Mr. J. R. Wood said: I have been entrusted with the duty of seconding this resolution, and it is a great pleasure to be doing this, even though the reason why I am allowed to do so is that it has seemed desirable to the governing body of the church that the resolution should be seconded by someone who has avoided all the responsibilities and work attached to the management of the concerns of the church. It is on these grounds that I am somehow held fitted to voice here the opinions of the general body of seatholders. It would be a piece of impertinence for me to commend the resolution to you; besides, it is quite unnecessary. The subject touches us at different points. Each has his own story to tell, or, more probably, to keep to himself: I think it is true that all our stories have this in common, that it would be a matter of the very greatest possible personal regret to us if Mr. Maconachie were to decide to leave Hongkong. We are here to prevent that, if we can. When I came here I thought this was not to be in any sense a public meeting, but that it would be amongst ourselves; but I want to say something which I think is true, namely, that this meeting is in some way performing a quasi-trust for the whole community. I feel sure that if the Town Crier had summoned all citizens to this meeting, a not inconsiderable number of men who have never darkened the door of this building would have rolled up and recorded their view that Mr. Maconachie should, by any means in our power, be induced to stay here. We hope that he will stay here. I hope it because he has a broad belief that the Kingdom of God is a large place. There is a story told about someone else, that might apply to him, who said, "The good are the only people who really count in this world, but it is very difficult to say who they are." I have much pleasure in seconding the resolution.

Major Macdonald said: I rise in support of the resolution and wish to express the hope that seatholders and members of the Church will wholeheartedly and unanimously support the call to Mr. Maconachie to remain with us for a longer period. I think I am expressing the opinion of many members of the Church when I say that at the present time it would be a calamity to the Church if we lose the services of Mr. Maconachie. I trust members will empower the Committee of Management to use every endeavour to persuade Mr. Maconachie to remain with us for another term of years (applause).

Mr. A. Macdonald, in response to various words which he said he took as an indication that he was expected to say something, remarked that he had been in the Colony 21 years and during that

time he had been under various pastorates. He would not make invidious comparisons, but since Mr. Maconachie had come amongst them every one could look upon a time of progress in the Church in every sense of the word. It was not a time to review Mr. Maconachie or to review his work amongst them because he hoped it would be a long time before he would be leaving Hongkong. He hoped and prayed that he was not leaving Hongkong now and therefore all that needed to be emphasized at the present time was that he has been a faithful and successful servant of the Church.

The services were increasingly appreciated by members of the Church and members of the community and when Mr. Maconachie spoke there on Sunday he was not only speaking to those before him but his voice extended through the Press and otherwise into the far corners of the Colony and went, he had no doubt, up and down the coast, and his ministrations were appreciated wherever his voice carried. It would be, as Major Macdonald had said, a calamity to the Church at the present time if they had to face the matter of bringing someone else here now. Under present conditions it was almost unthinkable that the Church should be faced with such a tremendous difficulty and he hoped that nothing would be left undone on their part to ensure that Mr. Maconachie should be called to the ministry of the Church for a further term—(Applause).

Prior to putting the resolution to the vote, several letters were read from absent seatholders, including one signed by many residents of Mount Parker, expressing their gratitude to the Rev. Maconachie and the hope that he and Mrs. Maconachie would be able to remain with them for a long time to come.

The motion, on being put to the vote, was carried unanimously, and after the singing of the doxology, and the offering up of a short prayer, the meeting dispersed.

## CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

## THE ALLEGED FRAUDULENT MISAPPROPRIATION CASE.

In the Supreme Court this morning, before Sir William Rees Davies, K. C., Chief Justice, the hearing of the charge of fraudulent misappropriation of funds entrusted to him, against Ka Rim Din, was resumed.

Continuing his cross examination of Mr. Colbourne Little, Mr. Jenkin reminded the witness that he stated yesterday that he recollected that there was a list showing the holders of certain lots. Mr. Jenkin asked witness to produce that list, which was done.

Mr. Jenkin:—Does not this list show that lots Nos. 2, and 36, were allotted to the accused?

Witness:—No; not in my opinion. Further pressed, witness replied:—In my opinion, No! Sir.

Mr. Jenkin:—Oh, well, we will just show the list to the jury and we will see whether the answer will not be "Yes! Sir," and you may think so before you have finished.

Witness reiterated his denial and suggested to Mr. Jenkin that for all he (Mr. Jenkin) knew, the list might have been written out by anybody.

In reply to his Lordship, witness admitted that, on the face of it, the list did show accused as being the owner of the lots.

Replying to Mr. Jenkin, witness said that the list might have been signed by certain people at a meeting which took place, if that was so, it must have been done after he left the meeting.

Mr. Jenkin:—And after keeping that list for about two years, do you now suggest that it is a forgery?

Witness:—No.

Mr. Jenkin:—Yesterday you were asked what your record showed and you told us that in your records Ka Rim Din's name did not appear as in any way associated with those lots, Nos. 2 and 36?

Witness:—That list does not, in my opinion, show Ka Rim Din as being the owner of the lots.

After further discussion as to the origin of various documents the witness admitted to Mr. Jenkin that another list, produced, did not show that lots Nos. 2, and 36 had been allotted to somebody else.

In reply to Mr. Orme's request that he should put clearly the position of Ka Rim Din, witness stated that, the two lots in question were subsequently allotted to a Mr. Xavier and a Mr. Baptista but those gentlemen did not eventually take up the lots. There were certain lots promised to Ka Rim Din, but this arrangement was afterwards cancelled. The value of the lots was to be deducted from the accounts of various instalments which were to be paid to the accused, but, at the latter's request, the instalments were paid in full by cheque, and the value of the lots was to be deducted from the amount due the accused when the work was finished.

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## THE MAGISTRACY.

## THEFT OF A PIG.

Three Chinese, arrested at Mong Kok yesterday on the charge of stealing a 90lb. pig from a pigsty at Ma Tau Chung, were brought before Mr. A. Dyer Ball this morning.

All three defendants pleaded guilty to the charge and each was sentenced to one month's hard labour.

## LARCENY FROM A STEAMER.

Before Mr. A. Dyer Ball this morning, a Chinese coolie was charged with unlawfully receiving two brass alleyway lamps, a 30lb. coil of 4-inch rope, five lengths of canvas hose and several pieces of canvas, alleged to have been stolen from a steamer lying at the Kowloon Wharfs, and also with the unlawful possession of same.

After evidence was heard, the defendant, who pleaded not guilty, was sentenced to fourteen days' hard labour on each charge.

## A HEAVY SENTENCE.

In Mr. Wood's Court this morning, a business was charged, firstly, with returning to the Colony before his term of banishment had expired; secondly, with stealing two pairs of shoes, two hats, a razor and a strip, to the total value of \$24, from the residence of Mr. Henry Reeslie at No. 156, Praya East; and, thirdly, with receiving the stolen articles.

The defendant, who pleaded guilty to the first charge, was sentenced to one year's hard labour, and four months' stocks in lieu of the last day.

The second and third charges were withdrawn.

ALLEGED LARCENY BY AN OLD EMPLOYEE.  
A Chinese coolie, who for the past eight years has been an employee of

"The Pharmacy," at No. 22 Queen's Road Central, was charged before Mr. Dyer Ball this morning with stealing drugs, to the total value of about \$60, from the dispensary, where he was employed.

In outlining the case to the magistrate Mr. Agassiz, who appeared to prosecute on behalf of the complainant, stated that from time to time, since December last, quantities of drugs were missed from the stock of "The Pharmacy." Several weeks ago Mr. G.W. McClintock, manager of the dispensary, went to the Police Station and there identified several boxes of drugs as property stolen from "The Pharmacy" and also recognized the writing on several packages of drugs as the defendant's handwriting. When Detective Sergeant Cockle questioned the defendant regarding the matter the latter admitted that it was his writing on the packages. He explained, however, that he had merely written the characters for a rickshaw coolie and had received tea for his services. At Sergeant Cockle's request the defendant attempted to find the rickshaw coolie but his search proved fruitless.

The defendant, who was represented by Mr. Gardner, pleaded not guilty to the charge and after evidence was heard the case was dismissed.

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All members of No. 2 Company and the Depot will parade at Central Station on Sunday, June 10th, at 4 p.m.

Uniforms with Helmet, Blouse will not be carried.

Section Commanders will note that no exemption is authorised except by the undersigned.

With reference to Orders of June 4th/17th, members failing to return to this office by 12 noon on Friday, June 8th, will be required to report for Call Duty.  
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All broken, chipped and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on WEDNESDAY, June 13th, at 10 A.M.

No claims will be presented within a month of the steamer's arrival here, after which they cannot be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undelivered after June 14th, will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

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Storage charges will be assessed on all Cargo remaining undelivered on WEDNESDAY, 13th June, at 5 P.M.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

No claims will be recognized after the Goods have left the Steamer or Godown.

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T. DAIGO, Agent.

Hongkong, June 7, 1917. 1876

#### THE CALENDAR.

#### MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW.

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture at Messrs. Hughes and Houghton.

#### General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, June 9—

10.30 a.m.—Auction of Dress Materials, Blankets, Perfumery etc. at Messrs. Hughes and Houghton.

#### 'CHINA MAIL'

#### OVERLAND EDITION.

THE BEST WEEKLY NEWS-PAPER FOR ALL INTERESTED IN HONGKONG AND CHINA GENERALLY.

ORDER IT BEFORE GOING HOME—AND THUS KEEP IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH THE COLONY.

Kai was solely for the purpose of self-aggrandisement, as many claim, or whether it was but another means to ensure the success of his schemes of reform, we are unable to decide, since he never became Emperor and no one even to-day can say what use YUAN would have made of the position had he been allowed to assume the purple and ermine. But it may at least be said that the situation in China to-day could not well have been worse, and, judging from what has happened in the past, might certainly have been better had there been another strong man like YUAN SHIH KAI to deal with the difficulties of the present time as he dealt with those which were of no less magnitude during the three years of his presidency.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stephen of Shanghai will hear with deep regret and sympathy of the death of their younger son, a second lieutenant in the Royal Flying Corps.

Mr. H. E. Green, manager of the Kobe branch of the firm of Messrs. Shewan, Tomes and Co., was entertained recently to a farewell tiffin in the supper room of the Kobe Gymnasium, on the occasion of his departure for home.

At a Smoking Concert last night held at the Police Reserve Club, Mr. F. C. Jenkin, on behalf of the members of the Hongkong Police Reserve, presented Mr. S. H. Wright with a silver flask and a draft for £25 as a memento of the esteem in which he was held by the members of the Police Reserves.

News has reached Shanghai in a telegram from Montreal, of the death of the Rev. W. H. Price until quite recently sub-dean of Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai. He was taken ill on the way home and an operation was found to be necessary to remove his gall bladder. Mr. Price received his theological training at Kelham, and served, prior to coming East, at All Hallows, East India Docks. He arrived in Shanghai at the end of 1913, and in the closing months of 1914, sailed as chaplain on H.M.S. Triumph, and was present on that vessel during her participation in the attack on Gallipoli. He served on H.M.S. Triumph for about six months and returned to Shanghai, but the persistent desire to help the men at the front resulted in his departure shortly after Easter for England, via America, to offer his services to the Government.

#### HONGKONG AEROPLANE FUND.

##### SUBSCRIPTION LIST NO. 8.

Proceeds of Smoking Concert held at Masonic Hall, Kowloon, including cheque for \$25 from the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, C.M.G. \$300.00  
W. A. Hannibal 100.00  
M. J. D. Stephens 100.00  
C. Thorne (2nd Donation) 50.00  
Officers of S. S. Katsang per Mr. S. Nelson 35.00  
J. W. Stephens 20.00  
A. Shelton Hooper 15.00  
Mrs. E. Barker, W. B. Shaw, S. C. Sampson, H.W.R. D. W. Trautman, A.S.H. P. C. Ports, W. E. Clarke, H. Overy, A.J.L. F. M. Blackburn, C. M. Shaw, J. Rodger, W.F.C., C.P.S., Wong Siu Woon—\$10 each 150.00

P. T. Lamble, R. Hudson, W. H. Woolley, R. Bland, C. H. Hardy, J. Kennedy, A. Nichol, H. Owen, G. Green, A. Morrison, E. Alcock, G. Albert, W. Kay, G. F. Nightingale, R. G. Sinclair, J. Hartley, R. M. Henderson, J. S. Farrell, G.E.M. A. Jenkins, A. Limberg, F. Blach, B. W. Cornack, N. Lang, C. Young, T. W. Cartledge, W. Sinclair, W. B. Terry, P. Helberg, T. J. Jones, W. A. Donaldson, S. Longfield, Commensense, T.P. A. M. Lindsay, A. F. Brown, H. McTavish, T. G. Samways, J. McCordqudale, J. W. Gloyne, C. W. Hart, J. D. Kinneir, T. Blair, H. Reineker, A. E. Forbes, R.H. Whitford, H. Palmer, J. W. Stewart, P. Plager, A. K. Anderson, J. H. Harrington, Chao Po Min, Tak-Yuen, Mrs. Chan Chu Hing—\$5.00 each 270.00

T. Brown, R. H. North, F. L. L. \$2 each, C. E. Gant \$1 7.00

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### THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Council was held this afternoon. H.E. the Governor, Sir F. HENRY, May, K.C.M.G., presided. There were also present: H.E. Major-General F. VENTRIS, General Officer Commanding; The Acting Colonial Secretary, Mr. A. G. M. FLITCHER; The Attorney-General, Hon. Mr. J. H. KEMP; The Colonial Treasurer, Hon. Mr. E. D. C. WOLFE; The Director of Public Works, Hon. Mr. W. CHATHAM, C.M.G.; The Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Hon. Mr. E. R. HALLIFAX; The Captain Supt. of Police, Hon. Mr. M. L. MESSER; Hon. Mr. Wei Yux, C.M.G.; Hon. Mr. H. E. POLLOCK, K.C.; Hon. Mr. LAO CHU PAK; Hon. Mr. R. SHAW; Hon. Mr. N. H. DODWELL; Mr. E. BULLOCK, Clerk of Council.

NEW MEMBER.  
Mr. S. H. Dodwell, who has been appointed to represent the Chamber of Commerce during the absence of the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak was duly sworn in.

#### BATHING FACILITIES.

The Hon. Mr. H. E. POLLOCK, K.C., asked:—  
Is the Government taking any, and if so, what steps to provide the public with bathing facilities at North Point and West Point as in previous years?

The Hon. COLONIAL SECRETARY said:—  
The usual facilities are being provided at Kennedy Town, as in recent years. Facilities at North Point, with the exception of a temporary pier from which diving could be performed at certain states of the tide, have hitherto been provided by the Hongkong Tramway Company. The Company have found that the facilities were utilised to so small an extent that they have decided not to make any such provision this year. In the light of the Tramway Company's experience, it is proposed to take no further action towards providing bathing facilities in this locality.

#### A PROPOSED MARKET AT SAMSHUPO.

The Hon. Mr. H. E. POLLOCK, K.C., asked:—

1. Did the Government from the year 1914 till the beginning of the year 1917, or during some other aid, if so, what period, reserve a certain site at Samshupo as the site of the Samshupo Market?

2. Has the Government recently, and if so, when, changed the site of such Market to a new site?

3. From what person did the Government obtain such new site and was such new site obtained by the Government giving the former site of the Market in exchange to such person? Is such person the owner of several, and if so, how many Lots facing such new site? What are the Lot Numbers and areas of such Lots? Do not such Lots practically surround such new site on three sides thereof?

The Hon. COLONIAL SECRETARY replied:—

1. Yes, a certain area was marked on a plan showing the proposed development of the district, and enquirers were informed that this area was reserved with a view to the erection of a market thereon. The site was so reserved because there was no more suitable area of Crown Land available in the immediate vicinity at the time. No guarantee was given that a market would in fact be erected thereon.

2. In September last the Government were approached regarding the provision of an alternative site upon land in private ownership, being 210 yards from the centre of the original site to the centre of the new site nearer the existing village of Sham Shui Po. In January last the question of the site was referred to the Head of the Sanitary Department, who reported that the original site was too far from the village of Sham Shui Po, and that the alternative site was too small. The matter was considered by the Sanitary Board on the 9th January and they unanimously adopted the following resolution:—That the plan as laid out on the table be approved by the Board except that the question of the site be left over until the decision of the Government regarding the offer of an alternative site be known.

The Government being anxious to remove the site of the proposed market from a position fronting on what will at some future period, be the main road to Tsan Wan, Castle Peak and beyond, especially in view of the increase of motor traffic, pursued further negotiations regarding an alternative site and eventually succeeded in getting an offer of the site, cross-hatched in blue on the plan laid herewith. The centre of this site is 127 yards from the centre of the original site.

The Government then referred the matter again to the Sanitary Board, who on the 16th April unanimously adopted the further resolution:—That the site cross-hatched blue on the attached plan for the Sham Shui Po Market be approved.

3. The new site was obtained from Mr. Li Ping, who accepted the original site in exchange for the new one. The areas dealt with for purposes of exchange were exactly equal, premium and additional Crown rent being charged in respect of an excess in the area of the original site over that of the new site. Mr. Li Ping is the Crown lessee of 14 lots in the vicinity of the market, two of which face the new market site. The numbers and areas of the two lots facing the new market site are:—

New Kowloon Inland Lot 43 10,840 sq. ft.

New Kowloon Inland Lot 188 8,773 sq. ft.

The new market site is surrounded on all four sides by public roads. The lots on the opposite side of two of such roads belong to Mr. Li Ping whilst those on the opposite side of the two remaining roads belong to other parties.

#### THE LATE DR. ATKINSON.

On the motion of H.E. the Governor, seconded by the Hon. Mr. POLLOCK, the Council unanimously passed the following resolution:—The Legislative Council of Hongkong desires to record its appreciation of the valuable services rendered to the Colony of Hongkong by the late Dr. John Milford Atkinson and to convey to his widow and sons its deep sympathy with them in their bereavement.

#### THE FANLING GOLF COURSE.

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THE LATE MR. C. E. A. HANCE.

HONGKONG BOY'S DEATH AT THE FRONT.

The late Mr. C. E. A. Hance, whose death in action at the front was reported a few days ago, joined the Hongkong Volunteer Corps on 2nd October, 1904. He joined the Corps on 30th September, 1905, was made Bombardier 20.5.00, Corporal 25.7.00, Sergeant 8.9.03, and resigned 13.8.09.

He joined up in the Australian Forces at the outbreak of War and took part in the capture of New Guinea, including some arduous bush fighting. With his knowledge of Chinese he was then seconded to a Civilian Department under the Government of Occupation but contracted fever and had to be sent back to Sydney. After a period of convalescence, his military ardour took him back to the ranks and he rejoined and was immediately made sergeant in a reserve Battalion at the large Liverpool Camp in the vicinity of Sydney. He was here some time training recruits and with his previous volunteer experience and military qualities must have been a valuable man.

He had received a decoration for the New Guinea campaign and this with his Coronation medal no doubt gave him some prestige with the recruits. He was at Liverpool Camp for some months and from there he was sent with reinforcements of the 15th Battalion to Egypt. More hard training in Egypt followed, his regiment moving about considerably, eventually leaving about this time last year with a draft for the front in France. He saw considerable service in this one year with the Australians on the Western front, being wounded last Autumn but presumably it was not of a serious enough nature to allow him to get home. He was killed on 28th February, 1917.

Mr. Cyril Hance was born in Canton in 1878, the eldest son by his second marriage of the late Dr. H. F. Hance, H.B.M.'s Vice-Consul there. He came to Hongkong at an early age (1886) and spent most of his youth in the Colony.

A letter received by his brother in Swatow from a Sergeant of the Company gives the following particulars of his death:—

About daybreak on the 27th February I was ordered to take some men (of whom Cyril was one) and dig ourselves in in a watercourse (dry). This we did and spent that day and night there in a fairly secure position. About dawn on the 28th the enemy started shelling us, but did no damage and about 8 a.m. I received orders to regain my Company at once. As we had some 300 yards of very open country to cross I issued orders that each man was to move independently and take his own line in order not to attract the attention of the enemy's observers. I was, of course, leading, and, as I passed your brother, I said: 'Hurry up, Cyril, and join up as quickly as you can,' and he said: 'I am almost ready, and will bring up the rear.' I had gone about 50 yards when an 8-inch shell came over and killed one and wounded Cyril and another. Your poor brother's case was quite hopeless and he only lived a minute at the outside, and I am quite positive he felt no pain at all. He only uttered the one word 'water' and then went West.

He was a good comrade and a good soldier; he was very popular and we miss him greatly. He was a great friend of mine, for we were in New Guinea together and had a common interest in China. He was a good reliable N.C.O. and a stamp of man that we need here.

#### SUMMARY COURT.

##### ANOTHER CONFERENCE.

In the Summary Court this morning, before Mr. Justice Gompertz, Paines, Judge, the Asiatic Lithographic Printing Press claimed from Cheng Chiu Lam the sum of \$520, being balance of an amount due for work done and labour supplied.

Mr. G. R. Haywood, for the plaintiff, stated that an arrangement would probably be come to and asked for an adjournment sine die.

Mr. Leo D'Almeida, for the defendant, said that "another conference" had been arranged.

His Lordship:—Very well, but I hope it will not lead to further trouble. The adjournment asked for was granted.

#### SOMETHING DEPENDABLE.

DARRHOEA is a very common and prevalent disease during this weather. It is prepared for by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, is a most effective remedy. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all Chemists and Druggists.

### THE NORTHERN REVOLT.

#### INTERVIEW WITH A REBEL GENERAL.

The latest telegrams from Peking state that a representative of a foreign paper has interviewed General Nei See Chung at Pongiu. The General said an ultimatum had been sent to Peking demanding that the President should dismiss the Parliament or he himself would have to go, and that within three days. If the President yields, he will be allowed to remain; if not Chu Sai Cheong will be made President.

General Nei disclaimed any intention to restore the Monarchy, but gave the warning that if General Chang Fun goes to Peking it will not be to make peace but to try to overthrow the President and restore the Manchus. General Nei added that he is opposed to Chang Fun going to Peking. Other Tulkwans only wanted a new Parliament, but Chang Fun wants a monarchy.

General Nei expects a settlement within a fortnight without fighting, and after the new Parliament is elected war will be declared on Germany.

#### THE PRESIDENT'S ATTITUDE.

The President, interviewed by three leading Chinese, said he was willing to resign on condition that Fung Kok Chong the Vice-President, would succeed him, according to law, and that there should be no restoration of the Manchus, no separation of North from South, no interference by outsiders, and no formation of a Provisional Government. He added that he had telegraphed to Chu Sai Chong to arrange a settlement accordingly.

There is reported to be serious disagreement among the independent Tulkwans over the question of the Manchus.

The South-Western Provinces are stated to have completed arrangements to defend the Republic against the independent Tulkwans.

#### MOVEMENT OF TROOPS.

The Diplomatic Corps demanded to know the reasons for using the Peking-Mukden railway for the transport of troops. The transportation has now been stopped.

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## To-day's Advertisements

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## TUESDAY,

the 12th June, 1917, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner of Des Vaux Street, VALUABLE TEAKWOOD AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE, etc., etc.,

As follows:—  
Upholstered Suites, Arm-chairs, and Sofas, Card Tables, Bedroom Furniture, comprising Double and Single Brass-mounted Bedsteads and Twin Bedsteads, Sideboards, Dinner Waggon, Extension Dining Tables and Chairs, Tea and Occasional Tables, etc., Dining Services, Crockery, Glass Ware, Cooking Stoves, Cutlery, Toilet Sets, etc., Bath Room Utensils, Roll-top Desks and Writing Tables, Sundry Electro Plated Ware, etc.  
2 Pianos in good condition. Electric Reading Lamps, Blackwood and Teakwood Screens, a quantity of Blackwood Furniture, Engravings, Pictures, etc., etc.

Tennis Poles and Netting, Porcelain Cigar Cabinet, Large Bath, Brass Finger Bowls, Carpets (New and second hand), Child's Cots, Formalizers, etc., etc. (Full Particulars from Catalogue.)  
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Hongkong, June 7, 1917. 1877

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Comprising:—  
Teak Twin Bedsteads, Sideboards, Dining Waggon, etc., Extension Dining Tables and Chairs, Chesterfield Sofa, Arm-chairs, etc., Wardrobes and Toilet Tables, Cots, etc., Miscellaneous Furniture, Pictures, etc., Roll-top Desks, Blackwood Ware, including Cabinets, Wardrobes, Stands, etc., Brass Pendants and Fire Brackets, a few lots Porcelains and Curios, etc., Paints and Kitchen Utensils, Electric Lamps, Fans, Enamelled Baths, Carpets and Rugs.  
And  
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TOTAL FUNDS at 31st DECEMBER, 1914, £23,970,367.

I—Authorized Capital £4,000,000.  
Subscribed Capital £4,500,000.

II—Paid-up Capital £2,437,500.  
Reserve Fund £3,537,047.

III—Life & Annuity Funds £17,547,500.  
Sinking Fund Account £78,940.

£23,970,367

Revenue Fire Branch £2,381,456.  
Life and Annuity £2,141,593.

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Agents.

## HONGKONG REGISTER.

	Previous day at 5 p.m.	On date at 5 p.m.	On date at 6 a.m.
Barometer	29.76	29.74	29.75
Temperature	80	81	85
Humidity	78	85	74
Direction of Wind	S	S	SW
Force	2	2	4
Weather	C	C	OP
Rain	0.0	0.0	1.30

Light open air temperature on the 6th at 57 degrees open air temperature on the 7th 76

T. F. CLAYTON, Director.  
Hongkong Observatory, June 7, 1917.

## Temperature.

Hongkong, June 7, 1917.

	9 A.M.	12 P.M.	3 P.M.	6 P.M.	9 P.M.
Barometer	29.76	29.74	29.75	29.75	29.75
Temperature	80	81	85	85	85
Humidity	78	85	74	74	74
Direction of Wind	S	S	SW	SW	SW
Force	2	2	4	4	4
Weather	C	C	OP	OP	OP
Rain	0.0	0.0	1.30	1.30	1.30

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Half hour, ..... 10 "

One hour, ..... 15 "

Hour, ..... 20 "

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